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In Claims:

Claim 4, line 1, delete "or claim 3".

Claim 5, line 1, change "any preceding claim" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 6, line 2, change "any preceding claim" to  
--claim 1--.

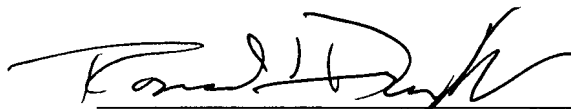
Claim 7, lines 2-3, change "any of claims 1 to 5" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 8, line 2, change "any of claims 1 to 5" to  
--claim 1--.

REMARKS

Multiple dependency has been eliminated. Please enter  
this amendment before calculation of the filing fee.

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